

STAND. COM. REP. NO. **2006**

Honolulu, Hawaii

JAN 30 2014

RE: S.B. No. 2541

Honorable Donna Mercado Kim
President of the Senate
Twenty-Seventh State Legislature
Regular Session of 2014
State of Hawaii

Madam:

Your Committee on Human Services, to which was referred S.B. No. 2541 entitled:

"A BILL FOR AN ACT RELATING TO ELDERLY HOUSING,"

begs leave to report as follows:

The purpose and intent of this measure is to provide funding to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority for the redevelopment of its administrative offices on School Street and for the design and construction of an elderly-only housing complex at the same location.

Your Committee received testimony in support of this measure from the Hawaii Public Housing Authority and Community Alliance for Mental Health.

According to the Hawaii Public Housing Authority, all of its elderly housing properties include non-elderly tenants with disabilities, and converting existing public housing properties to elderly-only housing involves an administratively burdensome process due to United States Department of Housing and Urban Development requirements. Your Committee finds that funding the construction of new elderly-only housing units will help the Authority meet the increasing need for elderly housing in the State and enable elderly people to age in place with fellow elderly people. Your Committee also finds that funding redevelopment of the Authority's administrative offices at the same location as the new elderly-only housing complex will enhance the Authority's capacity to meet the needs of the State's elderly population that will be residing at the new elderly-only complex.

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As affirmed by the record of votes of the members of your Committee on Human Services that is attached to this report, your Committee is in accord with the intent and purpose of S.B. No. 2541 and recommends that it pass Second Reading and be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Respectfully submitted on
behalf of the members of the
Committee on Human Services,

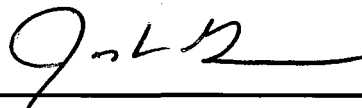
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SUZANNE CHUN OAKLAND, Chair



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Bill / Resolution No.:* SB 2541	Committee Referral: HMS, WAM	Date: 1/27/14		
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin-bottom: 5px;"><input type="checkbox"/> The committee is reconsidering its previous decision on this measure. If so, then the previous decision was to: _____</div>				
The Recommendation is: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between; margin-top: 5px;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Pass, unamended 2312</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Pass, with amendments 2311</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Hold 2310</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Recommit 2313</div></div>				
Members	Aye	Aye (WR)	Nay	Excused
CHUN OAKLAND, Suzanne (C)	✓			
GREEN, Josh (VC)	✓			
KIDANI, Michelle N.				✓
TANIGUCHI, Brian T.	✓			
SLOM, Sam	✓			
TOTAL	4	0	0	1
Recommendation: <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; margin-top: 5px;"><div><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted</div><div><input type="checkbox"/> Not Adopted</div></div>				
Chair's or Designee's Signature: <div style="text-align: center; margin-top: 10px;"></div>				
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